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February 27, 2009

Via Electronic Filing

Mr. Charles Terreni, Chief Clerk
South Carolina Public Service Commission
Synergy Business Park
101 Executive Center Drive
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Re: Embarq Communications, Inc., South Carolina Tariff P.S.C. No. 1

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Attached for electronic filing are revisions to the Embarq Communications, Inc. – South Carolina Tariff P.S.C. No. 1.

The following tariff pages are included in this filing:

Section 5	5th Revised Page 2
	11th Revised Page 7
Section 105	4th Revised Page 5

This filing increases the per minute rate for the Solutions w/ \$.07 LD No MRC plan changes to \$0.09 and the name of the plan changes to EMBARQ® Long Distance 9 Cent Plan. Customers have been notified of these changes via bill message. In addition, certain text has been added for clarification.

Embarq Communications, Inc. respectfully requests this tariff become effective March 30, 2009. Acknowledgement and date of receipt of this filing are requested.

If you have questions or need additional information regarding this filing, you may call me at (913) 345-6690.

Sincerely,

Robyn Crichton

Attachments
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INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES TARIFF**5. RESIDENTIAL SERVICES (Continued)****5.1 Message Telecommunications Services (MTS) (Continued)****5.1.1 Solutions Service (Continued)****A. Solutions – No MRC**

A Customer who subscribes to Solutions - No MRC pays a per minute rate for all interstate and/or intrastate Dial-1 usage without incurring a monthly recurring charge.

When a Customer subscribes multiple lines to Solutions-No MRC, at least one of every two lines must meet the eligibility requirements specified below. For example, when a Customer subscribes either three or four lines to this service, at least two of those lines must meet the eligibility requirements. The Customer's lines may be at the same or different locations provided that the eligibility requirements are met.

Customers who subscribe to Option 1 and subsequently cancel the services required to maintain eligibility for that option will be switched to Option 2, upon notice, if the services to which they are then subscribed render them eligible for Option 2. Otherwise, customers who discontinue any or all of the qualifying services required to maintain eligibility for Solutions – No MRC will be switched, upon notice, to Standard **Weekends as** set forth in Section 5.1.2 of this Tariff.

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(1) Option 1 – Long Distance – 9 Cent Plan⁽¹⁾ (35K)

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To be eligible for Option 1 - **Long Distance – 9 Cent Plan**, the Customer must subscribe to one of the following Embarq LOC services: 1) Solutions-Residence Package Clear Solution with LineGuard and Voicemail*; 2) Solutions-Residence Package Personal II Solution with two of the following features: Home Phone Warranty, LineGuard, Voicemail or Privacy ID; 3) Solutions-Residence Package Core Solution with Voicemail, LineGuard and Home Phone Warranty*; 4) Solutions-Residence Package Core Solution Plus with two of the following features: Voicemail, LineGuard or Home Phone Warranty; 5) Solutions – Residence Package Special Plan Bundle or 6) Solutions Residence Package Standard Home Phone II with two of the following features: LineGuard, Data LineGuard, Voicemail, Home Phone Warranty or Privacy ID.

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(a) Dial-1 Rate

Per Minute

Current
\$0.09

Maximum
\$0.28

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(b) Monthly Recurring Charge

No monthly recurring charge applies.

* Effective March 30, 2007, this option no longer qualifies new customers for **Option 1**.

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⁽¹⁾ Effective July 10, 2008, Option 1 is no longer available to new customers.

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INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES TARIFF**5. RESIDENTIAL SERVICES (Continued)****5.1 Message Telecommunications Services (MTS) (Continued)****5.1.1 Solutions Service (Continued)****C. Solutions Unlimited (Continued)****(5) Rates and Charges****(a) Dial-1 Rate**

Per Minute	\$0.00
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(b) Monthly Recurring Charges

	<u>Current</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	
Solutions Unlimited – Option 1 (6NN) Per line	\$21.00⁽¹⁾	\$ 76.00	(T) (I)
Solutions Unlimited – Option 2 (6AY) Per line	22.00	120.00	(T) (I)
Solutions Unlimited – Option 3 (6LJ) (Solutions Unlimited SA), Per line	25.00	159.80	(T)
Solutions Unlimited – Option 4 ⁽²⁾ (5DR) Per line	5.00	20.00	(T) (T)

The interstate monthly recurring charge which affords Customers the ability to place interstate long distance calls is located in the Company's interstate Residential Schedule located at www2.embarq.com/tariffs.

⁽¹⁾ The monthly rate for customers who subscribe to Special Plan Bundle as described in 5.1.1C. (1) plus one of the following services is **\$16.00 (6TB)**: the Company's High-speed Internet (DSL), DISH Network Satellite TV from the Company or EMBARQ Wireless. (I)(T)

⁽²⁾ Effective 02/18/07, where Voicemail is available, subscription to Home Phone Warranty, LineGuard, and Data LineGuard no longer qualifies new customers for Solutions Unlimited - Option 4.

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105. OBSOLETE RESIDENTIAL SERVICES (Continued)

105.1 Legacy Message Telecommunications Service (MTS) (Continued)

105.1.2 Consumer Sense II

The Company will offer a distinct domestic rate for subscribers of the Company's Consumer Sense II. Consumer Sense II is available to presubscribed Basic Service customers.

A. Rates

The following usage rate applies to direct dialed Basic Service calls.

Per Minute rate \$0.25

B. Monthly Recurring Charges

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